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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appln. No. : 10/798,774 Conf. No.: 6455

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Applicant : Yoshifumi Shiraishi, et al.

Title : A DEVICE TO PREVENT CARTRIDGE INCORRECT INSERTION,

A CARTRIDGE AUTOCHANGER, AND A CARTRIDGE

AUTOMATIC CONTROL DEVICE WITH AN AUTOCHANGER

Art Unit : 2861

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 AMENDMENT "E"

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2007 (Paper No. 20070326). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on June 28, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.